

U. OF A. INVITES MINE MANAGERS COMMISSION IS REVISING ORDER

Desire Is Conference with
Regard to Mine Engineer-
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University

IMPORTANT MEETING

The University of Arizona will hold a conference on mining engineering at the campus here on Friday. To this will be invited by special guests the general managers of the great mining companies of the state, all sections of the state being represented.

The University is about to revise its mining engineering course in the interest of greater efficiency and greater service to the state. The University is determined that its course in mining engineering shall compete successfully with the strongest schools in the country. The managers will be asked to advise the University regarding the strongest and most practical course of study that can be offered.

The program of the conference includes an informal dinner with the visiting managers as guests on the evening of February 10th; the conference proper on the morning of the 11th with lunch at the University dining hall; inspection of the University equipment and demonstration of the dry concentrator in the early afternoon followed by an automobile ride about the country.

The University of Arizona has already improved its agricultural curriculum by inserting a new course in plant breeding. In the coming year it is planning to add a department of poultry and another in horticulture, with an instructor in each department. This will give the University as broad an agricultural curriculum as most of the agricultural schools have, and the work in every detail will be planned for the farming needs of the state of Arizona.

The Farmer's Fortnight held this year for the first time, occurs February 10th to 25th inclusive. The time will be filled with addresses on agriculture proper and on miscellaneous topics of interest to farmers. Suitable recreations will be provided.

Severs Former Connections

F. M. Cole, chief clerk and head of the accounting department of the Phelps-Dodge Mercantile company, severed his connections with the company yesterday, his resignation taking immediate effect. Mr. Cole had been in the employ of the Phelps-Dodge people for the past seven or eight years and gradually worked his way up from bookkeeper to head of the department. Mr. Cole has no plan for the future but he expects to go to the coast for a brief vacation. His successor is T. H. Huston who comes from Clifton to fill the vacancy.

Hotel Arrivals.

At the Copper Queen: C. A. Tracy, Los Angeles; R. R. Ughahar, Denver; Albert Perry, Los Gatos, Cal.; L. M. McKimble, Phoenix; W. Bright, Los Angeles; J. B. Breakitt, Tucson; P. J. Lavens, W. F. Dreyfuss, Tucson. At the Philadelphia: J. H. Farley, Tucson; Jake Slinger and family, Odessa, Tex.; H. C. Young, El Paso; P. P. Osborne, El Paso; M. Helm, El Paso; L. Wermette, El Paso; H. A. Turner, Nogales; W. J. Lambert, Phoenix; L. M. Stinson, El Paso; A. R. Green.

Return to Tombstone.

Superior Court Judge Fred Sutter and Assistant District Attorney Murry, who were in the city on Thursday to attend the Neale funeral, believing that it would be on that day, returned to Tombstone yesterday morning. They were unable to remain overnight for the funeral as court had only been adjourned for the one day.

Assessment Personal Property Is Point Requiring Change in Former Practice

AROUSING DIFFICULTY

PHOENIX, Jan. 31.—When the members of the Arizona Tax Commission directed all assessors to value property for purposes of taxation at its actual worth in cash, they unwittingly raised a knotty problem involving the assessment of personal property. A second letter advising the assessors how to proceed was mailed out today.

Assessor J. T. Bone of Maricopa county discovered that the order of the tax commission was likely to work a great hardship on merchants and others who pay taxes on property other than real estate.

The assessors are supposed to begin assessing personal property and stocks of goods next Monday. Whenever an assessment is made they are required by law to collect the tax figured on the last year's rate.

But last year all property was valued at approximately fifty per cent of its real value. This year it is to be assessed at 100 per cent of its value, but it is expected that there will be a corresponding reduction in the rate.

All personal property is supposed to be assessed and the taxes collected by the third Monday in June. The rate of taxation for 1912 will not be fixed till the third Monday in July. If personal property is assessed at its full valuation and then taxed at last year's rate, the burden on the owners will be exactly doubled.

This matter was presented to the tax commission by Assessor Bone. They decided to have the assessment go forward in conformity with the law, but to permit the owners to give bonds for their taxes, paying their individual shares when the rate for the year is fixed.

Those who want to pay taxes when assessments are made will be permitted to do so. If there is a law permitting the boards of supervisors to refund taxes when too high a levy is made, well and good. Otherwise the tax commission will ask the legislature to pass such a law. It is not believed that there is one on the books at this time, but a search is being made.

United Verde Extension.

J. S. Douglas will leave his home in Douglas today for the purpose of paying a visit to the United Verde Extension property which is now being developed under his direction and in which he has brought together some of the big and wealthy mining men of the country. This development work is only just starting and Mr. Douglas is very reticent about talking about the probabilities of the future at the work proceeds.

THORPE UNDER CONTRACT.

Managers Who Want Services of Indian Must Change Tactics

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 31.—Managers of baseball teams who have been telegraphing and writing to James Thorpe, the Indian athlete, for terms, now may begin all over again. Thorpe was announced today by President Pan B. Johnson, of the American League, not a free agent, but under contract to the Fayetteville, N. C. club. Therefore it will be necessary to negotiate for his release through the owner of that club.

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NEW GARRISON AT FORT-HUACHUCA IS GETTING LOCATED

Fifth Cavalry Takes Up Its
Quarter and Finds That
Provisions Have Been
Made for Their Comfort

QUARTERS ENLARGED AND MUCH IMPROVED

The entire Fifth United States cavalry is now stationed at Fort Huachuca and extensive improvements will soon be made at the fort for the accommodation of the new regiment, according to F. L. Sims, of the Phelps-Dodge Mercantile company, who returned yesterday from the fort. The mercantile company has just shipped a full car load of general merchandise to the post exchange.

The fifth arrived in three divisions, said Mr. Sims yesterday. "The first division, consisting of the baggage train, arrived Tuesday morning and the second division, about half of the regiment, arrived that afternoon. The third division arrived Wednesday afternoon. In all there are twelve troops. The mounts of the fifth were left at Hawaii, but the fourth left their mounts at the post as the regiment is now equipped."

"The post is now in first class condition. The water that has been piped from Garden canyon, a distance of nine miles, is now flowing. Within the next few weeks approximately \$40,000 will be expended on the officers' quarters and barracks, making them thoroughly up to date. The track of the Southwestern extension is nearly all down and about one and one-half miles of track have been laid on the reservation grounds. It is expected that the whole extension will be completed within two weeks. With all these improvements it is clearly indicated that Fort Huachuca will eventually be made into a brigade post."

The following are the officers of the fifth: Colonel W. E. Wylder; major, P. P. O'Connor; Captains C. C. Smith, H. O. Willard, George Rogers, J. A. Worthington, Robert Van Arman, G. B. Pritchard, C. R. Day, E. P. Orton, John A. Wagner; Chaplain, J. P. Houlahan; Lieutenants C. H. Cunningham, W. H. Young, D. R. Rodney, D. D. Gregory, J. G. Winter, W. C. Christy, R. M. Parker, F. C. Crowley, A. L. James, J. K. Hume, P. H. Sheridan, H. W. Baird, C. A. Stewart, Dr. J. A. Haynes.

Mr. Sims reported that regular drills would soon begin. With the arrival of the fifth it is understood that that regiment will remain at the fort and that the ninth cavalry will be assigned to patrol duty. Detachments of the ninth will be stationed at Nogales, Warren, Naco, Garden Canyon, Forrest, Douglas and the Slaughter ranch.

Brief Local Items

Malicious Mischief.

Charles Johnson was yesterday fined \$5 in Judge High's court on a charge of malicious mischief.

Installing Sewer Pipe.

The street department has closed a section of Tenby avenue while a section of pipe, about two blocks in length, is being installed. The pipe is the 6-inch size.

Given Ten Days.

J. R. Franklin was yesterday sentenced to ten days imprisonment on a charge of being drunk.

New Legal Rules.

The new rules in equity, which have been formulated by the United States supreme court and which are designed to make legal procedure more simple, will become effective over the whole country today. Local lawyers express the opinion that the new rules are a great improvement over the old ones.

Another Vagrant.

In line with the policy of the police to make vagrancy a very unpopular profession, C. Lewis, who was arrested on Thursday night on a vagrancy charge, was held in \$25 cash bond. He did not appear in court yesterday when his case was called and the bond was forfeited.

Girls Play Hostesses.

The judges of the election polls will be the guests of the girls comprising the domestic science classes at the Central school tomorrow. Extensive preparations are being made to dine the judges royally. Everything from soup to pudding will be prepared by the girls who are said to be fine cooks.

To Play U. of A.

Arrangements have been made by the Y. M. C. A. basketball team for a game with the University of Arizona at Globe next Saturday. The game was to be played at Tucson next Saturday. A return game will be played here one week later.

No Douglas-Bisbee Game.

At the request of the school boards of both Bisbee and Douglas the inter-city school basketball game that was to be played at Douglas today has been called off. This action was taken on account of the recent death of Matthew Kinsella.

Post Office Robbery Trial.

The trial of the three boys charged with robbing post office boxes at Globe will come up in that city today. United States District Attorney J. E. Morrison has dispatched C. Forrest, a post office inspector, to attend the trial and investigate.

Leaves for Phoenix.

Representative W. J. (Billy) Graham, the blacksmith-statesman, left for Phoenix yesterday morning to attend the opening of the legislature February 3. Representative Graham is one of the popular members of the legislature. Several of his friends were at the station to see him off.

Leave for Tucson.

Mrs. J. J. Bowen, Mrs. Franklin B. Dorr and Walter Lamphear left for Tucson yesterday afternoon where they expect to meet Mr. Bowen and return to the city today in the Bowen machine.

Develops Blood Poison.

W. A. McDonald of Naco Road, who developed blood poison at Patagonia some time ago, returned to the city yesterday. Mr. McDonald's arm was still in a bad shape owing to the poison settling there.

Taxpayers' Association.

Secretary J. N. Gaines, of the Cochise County Taxpayers' association, has sent out notices of the annual meeting which will be held at the Gladstone hotel in Douglas on Monday February 10th, at 2:30 p. m. At that time Mr. Gaines will submit a report of the past year's work.

To Make Additional Survey.

Officer Thomas has returned from a trip up the canyon and reports that the U. S. geographical survey, which has been surveying a six mile tract to be opened to entry, has completed its work and is now engaged in surveying a second six miles, located north of the first survey. The land included in the first survey is generally hilly, but the second survey will be of more level land.

Adam Grimm Dies.

Adam Grimm, a resident of Bisbee for the past five years and well known in the city, died of pneumonia at the Copper Queen hospital at 7 o'clock Friday evening. Mr. Grimm was born in Madison, Wis., 44 years ago. Surviving are three brothers, a wife, living in the city and a step son. He was a member of the Moose Lodge. Funeral services will be held from the Palace Undertaking Parlor, Sunday at 4 p. m.

Here from Tucson.

Col. John B. Breathitt, of Tucson arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Douglas where he had been on business. Col. Breathitt stated that there is much business activity in Tucson now and that many substantial improvements are under way there, notably the preparation for building the new Y. M. C. A. building which is mostly a gift from the El Paso & Southwestern. Col. Breathitt would not give an opinion as to what might or might not happen during the coming session of the legislature.

Dance Proves Success.

The dance given under the auspices of the ladies of the House Furnishings committee, at the Warren District Country club last night, proved to be a grand success. Many couples were present, each one aiding in making last night's dance, a brilliant social function. The hall was charmingly decorated in bunting and flags presenting one of the prettiest sights yet seen at the club. Brennan's Orchestra furnished the music. Special cars carried the guests to and from the club. The patronesses of the evening were, Mesdames Bledsoe, Bridge, Ellwood, Goring, Hunter, Miner, Newman, Sherman, Tenny and Thompson.

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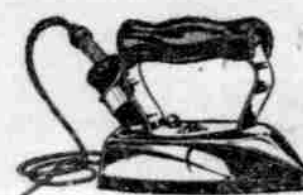
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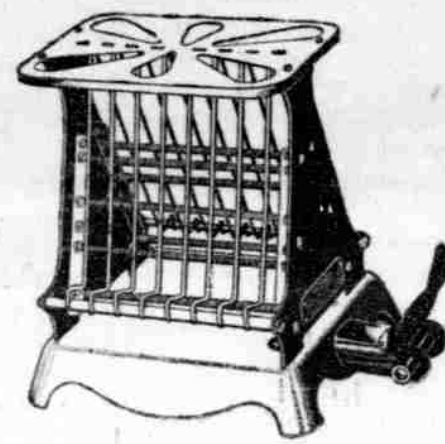
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